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For : CONSOLIDATION AGENTS AND THE USE THEREOF FOR

CONSOLIDATING MOLDED BODIES AND GEOLOGICAL FORMATIONS CONSISTING OF POROUS OR PARTICULATE

MATERIALS

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 8, 2009 finally rejecting claims 11-30.

The (Small Entity) fee for filing a Notice of Appeal as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b) is being paid concurrently herewith. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

If there are any questions about this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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